

## **NOTICE**

On March 4, 2005, the EPA modified the hazardous waste manifest system. Use of the new manifest will begin on September 5, 2006, with no phase-in period. Only the existing manifests may be used until that date. After that date, only the new forms will be allowed.

The changes with this final rule include:

1. The manifest form has been changed to standardized it for all 50 states, and its use will be mandatory for all 50 states,
2. Entities can register with the EPA to print manifests.
3. The EPA finalized standard discrepancy procedures for manifesting hazardous non-RCRA-empty container residues that TSD facilities will ship off-site, and for hazardous waste shipments that are partially or fully rejected by the TSDF.

The Federal Register notice of the final rule, a summary of the rule, and an example of the manifest form are available on EPA's website.

<http://www.epa.gov/epaoswer/hazwaste/gener/manifest/mods.htm>

**Note: This document is for informational purposes only. Any specific guidance necessary will be issued at a later date.**